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The Honorable John Barrasso  
Chairman, Senate Committee on Environment & Public Works  
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Dear Senator Barrasso,

This letter is to endorse the nomination of Dr. Michael L. Dourson, as Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency's Office of Chemical Safety and Pollution Prevention.

Dr. Dourson is an outstanding scientist whose career in toxicology spans nearly forty years, the early half of which with the EPA itself in critical positions of science, policy and administration. Dr. Dourson would bring an unparalleled breadth of experience and savvy to this position, and is ready to run full speed from the start.

Dr. Dourson has a can do and winning temperament that inspires confidence, and is well known as an engaging and skillful negotiator. I wholeheartedly endorse his nomination.

Respectfully,

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